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Dec. 8. SEVERAL pieces of intelligence have been cooked up in the court gazette with deſign to prevent the ſucceſsful operation of the patriotic reſolutions of the merchants, reſpecting a non-importation of goods. In order to diſabuſe our brethren in the neighbouring governments, they are informed the importation the laſt ſummer and this fall, has fallen *much ſhort* of former years, and that ſome veſſels, whoſe arrivals are expected before the firſt of January next, when the agreement of the merchants takes place, are ordered to return *only ballaſted* with hemp and coal; it may alſo be affirmed with truth, that the ſale of goods in the ſummer and fall, has been *much leſs* than in former ſeaſons, from whence it may be concluded that the people are grown *much more frugal*; to inſtance only in *bohea tea*, ſeveral great retailers of that article have declared that they do not now ſell *one fifth part* of what they did lately—People of the beſt faſhion in town, have with one heart and mind, and almoſt inſtantaneouſly baniſhed it their tables; but a number of towns in the country, to ſtop the conſumption, have lately ſigned the following agreement, viz. "Whereas the prodigious conſumption of foreign teas uſed amongſt us, is not only very impoveriſhing to our country, but is alſo prejudicial to the health of the inhabitants:

We the ſubſcribers being animated with a zeal to promote the good of our country, (in breaking off bad cuſtoms) declare for ourſelves, reſpectively, that neither we, nor any for or under us, will entertain any friend or viſitor whatſoever, with any tea imported from India or elſewhere, or drink any ourſelves, or ſuffer any to be drank in our houſes, until the late revenue acts for impoſing taxes on America be repealed."——Perhaps our neighbours may ſuſpect that ſuch agreements have little or no effect, I will adduce the town of *Sudbury* as an inſtance to the contrary, by giving a little anecdote.——A young man of that town who had lately married, and was removing to a new ſettlement, where he had purchaſed a piece of land, on which he had expended his all, was recommended to the pariſh by the ſelectmen for a contribution; the miniſter had given notice of the Sabbath on which it was to be made; this deſigned object of their charity was pleaſed the Saturday before, to take in a ſhop about a pound of bohea tea, promiſing to pay for the ſame out of the money to be collected the next day; this ſoon flew through the town, and was ſo reſented, that great numbers of the pariſh applied to the miniſter the next morning, for a re-conſideration of their vote, which was accordingly re-conſidered, and the imprudent man thereby deprived of the benefit of the intended contribution.——*If Americans in general, purſue ſuch methods as the foregoing, for obtaining relief and a redreſs of grievances, we may laugh at all the troops ſent among us, or rather at thoſe M———rs, who ſhould have procured an act of parliament depriving Americans of that underſtanding and good ſenſe, with which nature and providence has endowed them, before they had attempted with any hopes of ſucceſs, to dragoon us out of thoſe rights and privileges, which the inhabitants of theſe colonies inherit, and know they are intitled to, as men and as ſubjects.*——

Dec. 9. Orders have been received from Georgia and another province for ſome articles of American manufacture, which could not be procured in this place.—From hence it may be concluded by ſome, that New-England manufactures exiſt only in our news papers; but ſuch a concluſion would be *very erroneous*: We have not, it is true, any quantities of home made cotton, linen, and woollen goods, which can yet be ſpared for *exports*, but it may be depended upon that thoſe manufactures have *greatly increaſed* ſince the ſtamp-act: Almoſt every houſe in the country is now a manufactory; ſome towns have more *looms* therein than *houſes*: The encouragement and countenance given by the *clergy*, our *patriots*, and the *college*, by appearing cloathed in our own woollens, &c. has raiſed a ſpirit in the country, that can hardly be abated; our farmers now look upon it as a *diſgrace*, if they and their family are not clad with the fleece of their flock, and by their own induſtry. Companies are forming in ſeveral parts of the country, for the carrying on the ſeveral branches of buſineſs, with the help of our *new imported artizans*, which muſt ſo increaſe and *improve* New-England manufactures, that if the preſent reſtrictions on foreign trade are continued, and the revenue drain for our caſh is kept open, we may ſoon have an *overplus* to ſpare to thoſe of our ſouthern brethren, who are diſpoſed to favour us with their cuſtom. It is fact, that our country people are already able to furniſh themſelves with by far the greateſt part of their neceſſary cloathing. The *reſentment* of Americans may ſoon be *ſtrong enough* to baniſh every *foreign* ſuperfluity; then Britons will be convinced by ſad experience of the truth of an old Engliſh proverb, viz. *Honeſty is the beſt policy.*

Dec. 10. While the friends of their country are recommending and countenancing by their example, the ſtricteſt œconomy, C—m—r P—x—n and company are endeavouring to eſtabliſh a weekly and brilliant aſſembly at Concert-Hall; where their board is again held in the day time, and a centinel placed for their guard: One of their livery boatmen has waited upon the Gentlemen and Ladies of the town with the propoſals and a ſubſcription paper; which, to uſe a *courtly phraſe*, has been almoſt univerſally treated *with the contempt it deſerves.*——C—m—r R—n, in order to throw a ſplendor upon office, and ſo to *dazzle* with its brightneſs *the eyes of Americans*, that they might not perceive the *incomparable inſignificancy* of his perſon, nor how ridiculouſly the fruits of their induſtry are beſtowed; intends ſoon to make his appearance in a ſuit of crimſon velvet, which will coſt him *a ſum* that would have been a *full ſupport* to ſome one of the families, that are almoſt reduced to poverty themſelves; who are yet obliged, not indeed by the laws of chriſtianity, but by the revenue act, to feed the hungry and cloth the naked C—m—rs, not barely with what is *convenient* and *neceſſary*, but with all the *luxury* and *extravagance* of *high life.*

Dec. 11. We have the melancholy account that a ſchooner coming from St. John's in Nova-Scotia, with a conſiderable number of paſſengers, being ſuch as had left their ſettlements in that colony, in order to reſide in this province, has been lately caſt away on the Salvages, near Cape Ann, and not one of the people ſaved.——*It is to be feared we may hear of more loſſes of this kind, as neceſſity has put numbers upon launching from that country, in the moſt dangerous and perilous ſeaſon of the year: We wiſh we may not alſo before long receive ſome diſagreeable tidings from the two Floridas, and other of our new ſettlements, from whence the troops have been withdrawn, for the Boſton expedition.*

Dec. 12. A married Lady of this town was the other evening, when paſſing from one houſe to another, taken hold of by a ſoldier; who otherways behaved to her with great rudeneſs; a woman near Long Lane was ſtopped by ſeveral ſoldiers, one of whom cried out ſeize her and carry her off; ſhe was much ſurprized, but luckily got ſhelter in a houſe near by; another woman was purſued by a ſoldier into a houſe near the north end, who dared to enter the ſame, and behave with great inſolence: Several inhabitants while quietly paſſing the ſtreets in the evening, have been knocked down by ſoldiers; one of the principal phyſicians of the town, was the laſt Friday, about 12 o'clock at night, hailed by an officer, who was paſſing the ſtreet, but not of a patroling party; the Doctor refuſed to anſwer, and reſented this treatment; whereupon the officer ſeized him by the collar, aſſerting that he was on the king's duty, and ſwearing that he would have an anſwer; this ſo provoked the Doctor that he gave him a blow, which brought the officer to the ground; he then ſeized him, but a ſoldier or two coming up at that inſtant, he thought proper to let him go. *Theſe are ſome further ſpecimens of what we are to expect from our new conſervators of the peace; the inhabitants however ſtill preſerve their temper and a proper decorum; in this they have doubtleſs diſappointed and vexed their enemies: Under all the inſults and injuries received from a G——r, C—m—rs and the M—l—ry, we are patiently waiting the reſult of our petitions and remonſtrances, for a redreſs of grievances, and an alteration of meaſures: We cannot but flatter ourſelves that adminiſtration muſt ſoon be convinced of the propriety and neceſſity of putting affairs upon the old footing, which experience now demonſtrates to be the beſt for both countries.*

Dec. 13. We are told that Col. Pomeroy, upon whom the chief command of the troops quartered in this city now devolves, has given orders to his officers, to ſuſpend challenging the townſmen, as had been practiſed for ſome time.—The inhabitants have ſteadily perſevered in refuſing to anſwer to thoſe challenges of the military guards in the night; chooſing rather to be ſtopped or confined, than by a different conduct to countenance ſo affrontive an attack upon the rights of citizens; the town watch is appointed for our ſecurity in the night; to them and not to the military are the inhabitants legally obliged to give anſwer, when properly hailed: Several of the ſoldiers have been proſecuted in the law by thoſe they have preſumed to detain for not anſwering to their challenges; the inſolence of power will forever be diſpiſed by a people who retain a juſt ſenſe of liberty; and while they purſue conſtitutional methods for the redreſs of any grievances, they may rationally hope for ſucceſs.

Dec. 14. The Court of Admiralty for the trial of the libels relative to the ſloop Liberty, &c. met yeſterday, and again adjourned to the 3d of January next. The interrogatories have been lodged. The commiſſioners expected they would have been able this evening with the countenance of the military gentlemen, to have opened an aſſembly at Concert-Hall, for the winter ſeaſon; but the virtue and diſcreetneſs of the young Ladies of the town, occaſion a diſappointment; it is probable they may have one the next week, with a ſmall number of matrons of their own core: It muſt ill become American Ladies to dance in their fetters.

Dec. 15. There have been many ſevere ſcourgings, lately given the ſoldiery, particularly on Tueſday laſt, almoſt wholly occaſioned by a too free uſe of diſtilled ſpirits. It is ſaid one of them has died of his wounds, the truth of which we do not avouch, but it is expected that inquiry will be made by the grand jury of the county: The inhabitants are the more effected with theſe puniſhments, imagining they might have been prevented, had the troops been quartered at Caſtle-Iſland, or on a pretty village on a neck of land over againſt it, called Point Shirley, where they might have been well accommodated, and ſupplied, and would have received the full protection of the ſhips of war. Diſtreſſing ſympathies will force themſelves on thoſe who have the greateſt humanity; who are the moſt worthy part of the ſpecies: Some ſuch perſons among us have expreſſed their diſlike to thoſe whippings, and at the ſhooting a man for his firſt deſertion in the time of peace.—A pamphlet has made its appearance, ſaid to be written by a clergyman in this town: The author ſhews that giving more then 40 ſtripes, allowed Deut. xxv. verſe 3d, is breaking a moral law of God; that the Jews were prohibited by that law giving above forty ſtripes, leſt their brother ſhould ſeem vile unto them, even as if he was a dog, (but the military allows to lay them on by hundreds) that God intended the forty ſtripes ſhould be a terror to the Jews, but not like the terrors of death; whereas military delinquents who have been ſentenced to receive 1000 or 1500 laſhes, ſometimes chooſe death rather than life, and beg they may be ſhot to eſcape a whipping, that ſuch indignities are a diſgrace to human nature. *Homo ſum humanum nihil a me alienum puto*; that when ſuch puniſhments are decreed as threaten life, the ſixth commandment is broken, and all concerned are guilty of killing the victim, though he ſhould not die under the operation; that it is ſtrange that though the law of our God, with regard to whipping, is ſo religiouſly obſerved by the *civil authority*, it ſhould be ſet at nought by *the men of the ſword*; that the weight of military cruelties is reſted on the *neceſſity* of them; a ſupport which muſt fail——it being always neceſſary to keep God's laws; but can never be neceſſary to break them. The author then introduces this account from Wincheſter, "that a ſerjeant belonging to the 14th regiment, then lying in the city, was found drunk upon guard; and by a court martial was reduced to a private man, and ſentenced to receive two hundred laſhes, next field day. Amongſt other unuſual aggravations of the puniſhment, the drummers were ordered to ſtrip, to ſtay a minute between every ſtroke, and inſtead of 25, to give only ten laſhes. When 190 cuts had been adminiſtered in this manner, the ſurgeon, who ſtood by, declared, that if the man received the remainder, it would be impoſſible for him to ſurvive the puniſhment; accordingly he was unlooſed from the halberts, and carried back to the guard houſe, where, having languiſhed a few days, his back began to mortify, and the mortification ſoon reaching his kidneys, he died delirious. The coroners of the city of Wincheſter interpoſing on this occaſion, *an inqueſt was taken upon the body of the deceaſed*, when the jury brought in their verdict *wilful murder againſt the Captain*, who commanded at the puniſhment, &c. This narration is cloſed with the following reflection.—Wherever troops are quartered, the civil authority ſhould have a ſtrict eye over them: And as often as death appears to be the effect of a whipping, ſhould imitate the worthies of Wincheſter; otherwiſe *blood guiltleſs* will be brought on the place.——

The caſe of one Blakeny, as related by Dr. Lucas, the patriot of Ireland, in his mirror for court martials is alſo mentioned. He was ordered to receive 500 laſhes at the head of the garriſon in Dublin; his body was mangled moſt horribly, and he would doubtleſs have met his death, had not the Lord Lieutenant remitted 300 of the 500 laſhes——and the author further adds, is there not reaſon to fear, that if ſome worthy gentleman in Boſton had not prevailed for the remitted 300 of 500 laſhes decreed for a criminal (among the troops here) he muſt have periſhed, eſpecially as 190 cruel cuts had diſpatched the ſerjeant at Wincheſter. The author then refers to the memorable petition of rights, wherein it appears to be an article of complaint "that certain perſons exerciſed a power to proceed within the land according to the juſtice of martial law, even againſt ſoldiers, by ſuch ſummary courſe and order as is agreeable to martial law, and as is uſed in armies in time of war, as was looked on to be againſt the form of the great charter and law of the land, that any man within the land, though a ſoldier and mariner, ſhould be judged and executed by martial law, leſt by colour thereof any of his Majeſty's ſubjects may be deſtroyed or put to death, contrary to the law and franchiſe of the land." In conſequence of which petition the king revoked his commiſſion.—The author concludes with expreſſing his hopes, that though in theſe perilous times, ſome friends of power tell us, we muſt not ſay a word about *rights* (than which nothing could be ſaid more *ſatirical againſt the miniſtry*) the time will come when our rights ſhall be reſtored to us as at *the firſt*, and our privileges as at the *beginning*: When the *civil* authority ſhall have its free courſe, and his Majeſty's ſubjects be no longer *diſparaged* and *diſtreſſed* with court martials *in time of peace.*

Dec. 16. The people of Salem, Marblehead, and other towns from whence our fiſheries are carried on, complain greatly of the new act of ſeverity in demanding from the poor fiſhermen pay for Greenwich hoſpital. In 1732, this point was ſettled, and orders tranſmitted from home to deſiſt from demanding that duty from the fiſhermen; but now a gentleman concerned in that revenue having, as it is ſaid, 12*ſd.* per cent. on all the money raiſed this way for doing nothing, demands and inſiſt upon the payment of ſaid duty: Thus, for the providing for one creature of a M———r, (for the revenue will not be *benefitted*, as the pay of this officer will be equal *to this new duty*) a method is purſued which muſt greatly affect the intereſt *of the nation*, as well as of *the province*, it having a direct tendency to *leſſen* if not *deſtroy* ſo valuable a branch of trade as the fiſhery.

The prodigious multiplicity of crown and revenue officers, ſince the project of an American revenue was formed, grows daily more and more alarming, the names of the new created officers, and the buſineſs ſaid to be allotted to them, would make a ſmall revenue dictionary. It is now the general opinion, that large as the ſums are that have been drawn from America by this duty, and with them the life-blood of its trade, it will, when the officers on the eſtabliſhment, and incidental liſts are paid up, without mentioning the charge of tranſporting the C—m—rs to America, and the expence accrued by their campaign to the caſtle, &c. yield *little* or *nothing* to the revenue: The *revenue* about which ſo much noiſe has been made, though it may be dear to intereſted men or women on this or the other ſide of the water, (for Americans now begin fully to comprehend the modern doctrine of quarterings) is quite inconſiderable *to the nation*,

and will certainly prove insufficient to defray *a tenth part* of the military force that it has occasioned to be quartered in this single town: What a *sorry pittance* then is this revenue to be the *ground* of so much contention, and the *occasion* of removing *ancient foundations*; upon which the *commerce of Britain* has so greatly *flourished*, and the *colonies* have thought themselves *happy* in their *connections* with her.

One F——s a Master of a vessel, who having disposed of a considerable part of his cargo, not quite to the satisfaction of his owner, and being reprimanded therefor, made information, &c. by way of resentment, whereby an addition was made to the loss and damage of his unfortunate owner, by a seizure of said vessel: It is said this fellow has been since so noticed by the commissioners as to have a small post in the customs given him.——*This is mentioned only to shew that such infamous persons, after having betrayed a total want of confidence, even to perfidy, in these times know where to find their* REFUGE *and* SUPPORT: This same person was the other day taken with a single writ for a debt due to a trader in this town, when he produced to the sheriff a protection from the court of admiralty, that he might be enabled thereby to file his interrogatory, relative to the above seizure.—This day a brigantine from London, where she is owned, last from Nantucket, was seized by order of the C—m—rs. It seems she had landed the chief part of her cargo at Nantucket, and reported to, or entered with the naval officer, as was formerly practised; the particular cause of this seizure is not as yet ascertained.

This evening several soldiers, of the guard near the neck, were detected in stealing leather out of a shop at the south part of the town; they were pursued by the owner, and one of them was overtaken, who defended himself with his bayonet, and gave the pursuer a thrust, which struck against his collar bone; he was however mastered, and is now secured in goal till he can take his trial at the next court of assize.

Dec. 18. There have of late been several smart rencounters between the soldiers quartered in this town, and the seamen belonging to the men of war now in harbour, they discover a very particular dislike or rather enmity to each other.——This evening a number of soldiers and sailors happened to meet, when a bloody affray ensued;—in which it is said the seamen were victors: Several of the parties have lost thumbs and fingers, and are otherways badly wounded; one of the soldiers dangerously: Care is taken of them at the hospital provided for the use of the troops. *It is to be feared the indiscretion and animosity of these people, may in the course of the winter be productive of other disagreeable consequences; and further evince that the peace and good order of the town is not like to be preserved or promoted by our military inmates.*

Dec. 19. Last evening after church service, there was a considerable gathering of children and servants, near the Town-house, drawn by the music of the fife, &c. which is again heard on the Sabbath, to the great concern of the sober and thoughtful inhabitants; some of those youths having behaved so as to displease the officer, orders were given the guard to clear the parade; they marched up with bayonets presented—one of the lads was pursued by a soldier to some distance, who made a thrust with his bayonet, which passed through his coat, and had he not thrown himself on the ground that instant, it is thought he would be run through the body:—He has entered a complaint against said soldier, with one of the Magistrates;—*an application to the military on any such occasions would be resented by the inhabitants, who would by no means countenance the exercise of law-martial in the body of the county, and in the time of peace.*

Dec. 20. Capt. Sweeney, arrived from Halifax with the remains of the 14th, 29th, and part of the 59th regiments, quartered here, and a number of women belonging to the said regiments. He informs that the schooner Providence, Captain Campbell, with military stores, was cast away the 29th ultimo, on Betty's-Island, in Prospect harbour, and one man drowned.——We also learn from Augustine, that Captain Chambers was arrived there with the troops withdrawn from Pensacola; on his passage, he met with a violent gale, in which he lost his mast, and had four feet water in his hold, where some of the sick soldiers were drowned. A large ship, one of the Cork fleet, with Colonel Mackay, most of the officers of his regiment, and a number of soldiers on board, is still a missing vessel.—*Some important acquisitions were made in the late war from our enemies, with much less expence and lost to the nation, than will be occasioned by the late extensive movements, and very extraordinary American proceedings.*

By letters from Sandusky-Bay, we learn, that some gentlemen on their way from Detroit, were robbed of many things of value by some Indians; that the sloop Charlotte was cast away on lake Erie; and the schooner Boston, burnt in Catfish creek, on the same lake, supposed by the Indians: *Accounts of damages done by the Indians, since the withdraw of troops from the out settlements, may be expected to multiply upon us.*

Dec. 21. This day there was a meeting of his Majesty's Council, when the Governor informed them, that an action of trespass had been brought against Stephen Greenleaf, Esq; sheriff of the county of Suffolk, by Mr. John Brown of the manufactory, for breaking, entering in, and keeping possession of an apartment in said house. The G——r expressed his hopes and expectations, that the C——l would *support* the sheriff, who he said had acted in that business by their authority, and therefore ought to be *saved harmless by them.* This motion of the G——r's having been supported, one or more of the Council observed to this purpose, that the vote for clearing the manufactory house, was at first obtained by a majority of one only, or six out of eleven, present——that it was intended by the Council to be done in a *legal manner*, and that when the affair was in agitation, they thought it necessary to wait upon his Excellency, and did accordingly wait upon him, and that even the gentlemen themselves, who voted for the clearing of the house, declared to his Excellency that the *manner* of proceeding, was, in their opinion, *illegal*, and *different* from what they expected when they voted for it. Upon which the G——r was pleased to say, that as the sheriff had acted in this affair, in consequence of the vote of the C——l, it must appear very unaccountable in them not to support him; that it would have an ill appearance on the *other side of the water*, where it would certainly be known, and in order to intimidate the C——l into his measures, he very delicately intimated that it would be a subject of *representation*: When undoubtedly such kind of glosses would be put upon it, as had before been put upon their humble petitions, and other parts of their proceedings. The Council did not think it advisable to determine on a matter as *new* and *unprecedented* as it was *important*, and therefore referred it for further consideration to a full board; where it is to be hoped a greater concern will appear to *secure* the substantial rights of every honest householder, than to *provide a screen* for any creature of a G——r whatsoever.

But though the G——r has upon more occasions than one expressed his concern to save the credit of his t——s, —is it not worthy of remark, that so little regard was discovered for the honour and dignity of his Majesty's C——l, as that when one of those Honourable Gentlemen complained in C——l of the treatment he had received in having his chariot stopt and searched for deserters, this G——r should treat the complaint with neglect; and rather defend, than censure the conduct of the soldiery in stopping the inhabitants; and what is still more astonishing, at a C——l convened upon the arrival of the troops to consider of C—l—l D——'s demand for quarters; an Honourable Gentleman, who had long had a seat at the B——d, and who had freely spoke to this point, as he thought the good of the province, and the service of his sovereign required, was modestly told by this gentleman of the sword, that if he had meant any insult upon him in his speech, he should have taken his own satisfaction, as soon as they were off that floor; and this in the very presence of the G——r, without his taking the slightest notice of so gross an affront offered to the *whole* B——d.

Dec. 22. A common soldier of one of the regiments arrived from Ireland, having the last evening made too free a use of spiritous liquors, was this morning found dead in his barracks: It is said that the Captain he was under, has ordered all the men belonging to his company, to view the corpse of the deceased, that by his unhappy fate they might be deterred from such intemperance as has brought this person and many before him to an untimely end: It is to be hoped a suitable number of officers will be *pickt out* of the military corps, to lead and accompany the soldiers on this melancholy service.

Dec. 23. It may now be said that the G——r and C—m——rs have the last night had a sort of an assembly at Concert-Hall; never were the gentlemen concerned more liberal in their invitations, even those ladies who declined subscribing, had their cards; the neighbouring towns were reconnoitred for females, and the good-natured S——r of the B——d of C—m—rs was so complaisant as to offer to go as far as Salem to bring two damsels from thence; their efforts were finally so successful, as to procure from among themselves and their connections, about ten or twelve unmarried ladies, whose quality and merits have been since related with the spritely humour of a military gallant.—— The ball was opened by Capt. W——n, ——a gentleman who has been already taken notice of in this journal. There was indeed a numerous and blazing appearance of men, but the ladies of all ages and all conditions so few, that the most precise Puritan could not find it in his heart to charge said assembly with being guilty of the crime of mixt dancing.

Dec. 24. We are informed by the Boston Chronicle, but know not the grounds the publishers have for such information,——that a packet is soon expected from London, with orders for calling a new assembly of this province, which is much to be desired. As the Governor expressly declared in his message to the late house of representatives, that he laid before them the full of the orders he had then received; it is difficult to account for his not having called one before, or why he should wait for any orders, relating to it; for it did not appear that he was under any prohibition. The ill consequences therefore that have or may arise for the want of an assembly at this critical time, must be accounted for by the G——r and not by the M——r. But if he has since received such prohibitory orders, is it not an infringement of the honour of the G——r, as well as the rights of the people granted in the charter of the province? In that charter the king has been pleased to devolve the power of calling, adjourning, proroguing or dissolving the assembly upon the Governor. And he being present and knowing to every emergency that takes place, it must be an advantage to the people to have this matter left to his prudence; but if the being of an assembly is for the future to be left to the will or humour of a minister, and he at a distance of a thousand leagues, unconnected with, and independent upon the people for his support, the time may come when we may be in a worse situation than the nation was in, in the reign of Charles the First, when there may be not only a vacation of the general assembly for twelve years, but *no assemblies at all:* Or if we should happen to have a governor *of integrity* and steadiness to assert his own *honour* and the people's *rights*, he would in all likelihood be soon recalled for disobeying the command of the minister, who would *rescind* them; but the rights of American charters seem at present to be of very little importance in the opinion of our American G——r, or the M——r in the American department.

NEWBERN, *(in North-Carolina)* JANUARY 27.

Last night a sloop came up here from the bar, by which we have an account of the loss there of the Brig Samuel, Andrew Pearson, commander, belonging to Mr. Robert Duncan, a gentleman just arrived in her from Boston, and who was on board her when the melancholy accident happened. She had on board a large quantity of hay, which took fire, supposed by being too damp, and had got to such a height before it was discovered by the watch, that it occasioned the loss of the hull of the vessel, with all her cargo; and it was with great difficulty the people saved their lives.

SAVANNAH, *(in Georgia)* JANUARY 18.

We are told the Choctaws still earnestly persist in their war against the Creeks; by some late accounts a large army of them had got into the Creek nation, and would have cut off a whole town, had not the greatest part of the inhabitants fled; a few of what remained they barbarously murdered, sparing no sex nor age, and carried some prisoners, and then retired in triumph. A large number of the Creeks are gone out against them.

JANUARY 25. Capt. Langford who arrived here last week from St. Lucia in Jamaica, informs us, that before he sailed a Spanish vessel arrived from Cuba, the people on board of which said 300 houses were lately destroyed on that island by an earthquake.

The Brigantine Cicero, Capt. Buckmaster, from Rhode-Island, and the Schooner Sally, MacLaughlin, Master, from St. Eustatia, arrived in this river yesterday. The sloop East-Florida, Wallace, Master, from Charles-Town, for St. Augustine, also put into Tybee last night.

Feb. 1. Capt. Bridges, who arrived here on Thursday last from Philadelphia, the Friday before saw a Bermudian sloop ashore on Cape-Hatteras.

The ship Friendship, Thomas Hele Gist, master, in seven weeks from Portsmouth, arrived at Tybee on Monday last.

CHARLES-TOWN, FEBRUARY 14.

TUESDAY last the Annual Subscription Plate was run for at New-Market, and won by William Allston, Esqr's Chesnut Horse Tryall, beating Mr. Rogers's Chesnut Gelding, and Morton Wilkinson, Esqr's Bay Horse Noble.—Great Odds were laid before and at starting on Noble, but it seems he was rendered incapable of running, owing to some foul Means made use of by the Person who was his Keeper and Rider, for a Bribe of £. 500 Currency.

And, on Wednesday the Colts Plate was run for at the same Place, and won by Mr. John Wright's Bay Colt Cade, beating Daniel Horry, Esqr's Roan Colt Raffle, William Moultrie, Esqr's Chesnut Colt Favourite, and Col. Howard's Roan Filly.

The same Day put in here in great Distress, the Sloop Two Brothers, William Connor, Master, having been out nine Weeks from the Bay of Honduras, bound for Jamaica; and had he not met with Captain Delahay, of Virginia, from St. Eustatia bound for Georgia, who supplied him with some Necessaries, he and his Crew must have perished.—Captain Connor informs, that Captain William Harrop, of the Ship Bacchus, belonging to Liverpool, was murdered in the Bay, by one of his own Sailors, on the 26th of November last.

It was the Elizabeth, Captain Gilchrist, (not the Beaufain, Captain Catlin, mentioned by Mistake in our last) that arrived from the West-Indies, with Slaves.

Mr. Thomas Ivers, came Passenger in Captain Hunt, from New-York, who arrived here on Tuesday Evening.

Abraham Stevens and Jeremiah Foulsome, who were to have been executed on Friday last, (as mentioned in this Gazette of the 31st ult.) were respited by his Excellency the Governor; the first to Friday the 7th of April, and the last to Friday the 12th of May next.

Sunday last his Majesty's Packet Boat Duncannon, Capt. Edwards, sailed for Falmouth.

The same Evening Capt. Joseph Turpin came to Town by Land from North-Carolina, who informs us, That on the 16th of January, in his Passage from Edenton, in the Schooner Experiment, for this Port, he was run down and sunk at a Place called the Swatch, near Ocracock Bar, by one Captain James Roberts, in a Schooner from the West-Indies, bound to Newbern: By this Accident Capt. Turpin sustains a considerable Loss, and it was with Difficulty that he and his People saved their Lives; but what makes it more Melancholy is, that one Captain Hicks, of New-York, who was coming here to get a Passage thither, was unfortunately drowned.

Since our last the Captains Gunn and Ball, sailed for London.

MARRIED] Captain George Higgins, of the Snow Portland, in the London Trade, to Miss Elizabeth Collis.

Feb.	CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.	*From*
7th.	Schooner Little-Nancy, Sam. Higgs,	New-Providence
9th.	Sloop Sally, Jesse Hunt,	New-York
	Sloop Sea-Flower, William Tatem,	Bermuda
10th.	Sloop Two-Brothers, William Connor,	Honduras
	Sloop Endeavour, Abraham Gurling,	North-Carolina
11th.	Schooner Cape-Fear Packet, Robert Scott,	Ditto
13th.	Schooner Broughton-Island, P. Bachop,	St. Augustine
	Schooner Margaret, John Ireland,	Ditto
	Ship Mary, John Spurrier,	Rotterdam
Feb.	ENTRIES OUTWARD.	*For*
7th.	Schooner Industry, Joseph Barber,	East-Florida
10th.	Schooner William, David Brace,	Cadiz
11th.	Ship Charming Sally, Peter Rainier,	Barcelona
	Ship St. Helena, George Arthar,	Bristol
	Brig Jolliffe, William Bound,	Pool
	Schooner Little-Nancy, Sam. Higgs,	New-Providence
	Sloop Betsey, Robert Savage,	Ditto
	Brig Elizabeth, James Hunt,	Pool
13th.	Schooner Broughton-Island, P. Bachop,	St. Augustine
	Brig Olive, James Reid,	Dominico
Feb.	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	*For*
9th.	Ship Patient-Mary, William Singleton,	Barbados
	Ship Charming Betsey, Gideon Duncan,	Grenada
10th.	Brig Tyrrel, Thomas Arwin,	Antigua
	Ship London, Alexander Curling,	London
	Sloop London, Nathaniel Butterfield,	St. Eustatia
	Sloop Polly, Samuel Wright,	Philadelphia
	Schooner Industry, Joseph Barber,	St. Augustine
11th.	Sloop Josephus, Daniel Folger,	Nantucket
	Ship Father's-Desire, Isaac Moorson,	Cowes

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JOHN BENFIELD,

In TRADD-STREET, *opposite to Messrs. Mansell, Corbett, & Roberts, has for Sale, on the very lowest Terms for Cash,*

EXTRAORDINARY fine RAISINS, at 2s. 3d. lb. by the Cask, and 2s. 6d. lb. by any Quantity not less than 25 lb. RUM of all Sorts, BRANDY of an exceeding good Quality, GIN, MADERA WINE, CHERRY BOUNCE, and sundry other LIQUORS, Corks, SHIP BREAD, empty Bottles, one and two Gallon Stone Jugs, *best London White Wine and Common* VINEGAR, Myrtle Wax and Tallow CANDLES of all Sorts, with which Merchants and others may be supplied on the shortest Notice.

At STOTT's

MANCHESTER WARE-HOUSE,

In BEADON's-ALLEY,

Just imported in the PORTLAND, *Captain* HIGGINS,

A Compleat assortment of CUTLERY WARE, to be sold upon their usual cheap terms, for ready money.

☞ The above were sent by CHARLES LITTLEWOOD, manufacturer at Sheffield, and late store-keeper in Charles-Town.——N. B. Exceeding good white oznabrugs, at 3s. the yard, per the piece.

WILLIAM BANBURY has Occasion for a large Quantity of CYPRESS BOARDS, to be delivered in Six Months.

WE hereby forwarn all Persons from giving Credit to any one in our Name, as we will pay no Debts contracted that Way after the Date hereof, without a written Order from either of us.

Feb. 9, 1769. PETER & JOHN HORLBECK.

TO BE SOLD,

A Few Boxes of good CASTILE SOAP, and GREEN CANDLES. Apply to the Printer.

PHILIP HAWKINS, & Co.

at their ſtore in Tradd-ſtreet, formerly poſſeſſed by Meſſrs. John Edwards, & Co. *are* JUST NOW OPENING

A large aſſortment of GOODS,

imported from LONDON *and* BRISTOL, *which were carefully choſen and purchaſed by Mr.* HAWKINS, *and which they will ſell by wholeſale, at ſuch prices as may afford handſome profits to ſhop-keepers and dealers that buy to ſell again, and any other perſons may be ſupplied on very low terms for caſh or ſhort credit,*

AMONG their goods are a very large aſſortment of linen drapery, plain, flowered, and ſtriped muſlins, nbricks, lawns, and Manchester goods, &c. India chints, ſians, a large aſſortment of ribbons and ſilk hoſe, a few ces of broad cloth, and blue and white plains, a large ntity of china, among which are compleat table and tea , Nankun and enamelled, ornamental pieces, bowls, s, and ſaucers, &c. which will be ſold very cheap, parlarly by the cheſt, a large aſſortment of nails, locks, ks, and hinges, paints, oils, and every other article eſſary for building.

N. B. Beſt London loaf ſugar, at 4s. 6d. lb. and er by the hhd. beſt bohea tea, at 20s. lb. or 17s. 6d. ing a quantity, fine green tea, at 45s. lb. and ſuperfine on, at 6l. lb.

DAVID GAILLARD,

HAS FOR SALE,

Small conſignment of GOODS, conſiſting of the following articles, which will be ſold for CASH, at coſt and charges, viz.—A few bales of white plains, juſt ed, a few caſks of broad and narrow hoes, 4, 10, and nails, oznabrugs, Iriſh and ſheeting linen, London l blankets, German ſerge black quilted coats, ſaddlery, twine, tea-kettles, lamps, &c.

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imported in the Sloop Sally, Jeſſe Hunt, *Maſter, from* ew-York, *and to be ſold by ſaid Maſter, at the new rner Store on Mr.* Elliott's *Wharf,*

HOICE Weſt-India and Northward RUM, Water Biſcuit in Kegs, BEER in Barrels, Apples, Onions, Alſo, a new LONG BOAT.

For NEW-YORK,

(To ſail on Sunday next)

The Sloop SALLY,

JESSE HUNT, Maſter.

FOR Freight or Paſſage, (having good Accommodations) apply to the ſaid r on board, at Mr. Elliott's Wharf.

E SOLD at public vendue, at the vendue-houſe in rles-Town, at 12 o'clock at noon, on Tueſday the 28th nt,

IE large three ſtory brick HOUSE, on the Bay, where the Coffee-Houſe is at preſent kept, together with the odious brick ſtores thereunto belonging, the whole of now rents at 700l. per annum.—Likewiſe part of the fronting ſaid houſe, with the ſtores thereon, now oc- by Mr. Beekman, laying between Miſs Raven and veleigh's wharfs, the whole belonging to the eſtate of *n Raven,* Eſq; deceaſed. Twelve months credit will en, the purchaſer paying intereſt from the time of nd giving good ſecurity for the ſame.

HENRIETTA STANYARNE, Adminiſtratrix.
JAMES STANYARNE, ELIAS VANDERHORST, } Adminiſtrators.

3. Thoſe who have any demands on ſaid eſtate are to make them known, and thoſe who are indebted , to diſcharge the ſame immediately to either of us.

ANN NICHOLLS,

RMS her Friends and Cuſtomers, that ſhe has re- ed into Elliott-ſtreet, next Door but one to Iſaac Eſq'rs, where ſhe carries on the *Mantua-Making* as uſual.—The Reaſon for this Advertiſement is, ne Perſons have reported that ſhe had left it off.

ſold together, or in parcels, or leaſed, and may be entered on immediately,

A Body of exceeding good river ſwamp ſavannah, and high land, ſufficient for five or ſix ſettlements, and is well calculated for rice or indico, about 2000 acres of the ſwamp and ſavannah may be laid under water, with very little expence of daming, and is eſteemed as good e as moſt of the lands at the ſouthward, having blue clay foundation, and has the advantage of other n Santee, being ſo ſituated that two months work of ts will ſecure 1500 acres, againſt the higheſt freſhes; land is as good for corn or indico as any in the proand has on it a dwelling-houſe, out-houſes, a garden, ut 200 acres under good fence, and fit for plowing. re alſo in the low grounds three ſets of cypreſs indico umps, &c. and 90 acres damed in, fit for planting, y be plowed; ſaid land is near Neilſon's-ferry, 60 om Charles-Town, and two from ſaid ferry landing, boats from 50 to 70 barrels of rice burden, are paſſing every week in the year.—A reaſonable time for pay- will be given, but conſiderable abatement for ready r ſhort credit.

3. *The land will be ſold much cheaper than any of the ality has been in this province for many years paſt. rther particulars, enquire of the printer, or Mr.* NEILSON, *at Neilſon's-ferry, on Santee.*

SOLD on Tueſday the 21ſt of February inſtant, on mlaw-Iſland, at the ſale advertiſed by Mr. John r,

O tracts of land, belonging to the eſtate of *Thomas lext,* deceaſed, conſiſting of 150 acres, it being on elaw-Iſland, butting and bounding to the north on elonging to Robert Turner, to the eaſt on Toomer's o the ſouth on Henry Livingſton's land; to the weſt n Davies's land, it has a ſmall barn and ſome other ldings on it. The conditions is credit to the firſt day nary 1770, paying intereſt from the day of ſale, and ſecurity, if required, to

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, SOLOMON FREER. } Executors.

A Genteel DINING ROOM to let, furniſhed or unfurniſhed, and two other Rooms. Enquire of the

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TO BE SOLD in AUGUSTA,

For no other reaſon than that the preſent owner's ill ſtate of health, and his engagements in another branch of buſineſs, will not allow him to pay a proper attention to it,

AS compleat and well-found a FARM or PLANTATION as any in this province, conſiſting of 500 acres of exceeding good LAND; 250 acres of which is cleared, and under good fence; and fine timber of oak and hickory on the remaining 250 acres.——A compleat dwelling-houſe, newly glazed and painted, in which are two chambers, a dining-room, and hall, and four very good ſhed-rooms, and three fire-places.—A very good ſtore 30 feet by 20; a kitchen of the ſame dimenſions.—A ſmoke-meat and milk-houſe, all framed, and under pinned with brick, and cloſed with feather-edge boards.—A compleat barn 40 feet by 24, floored ſluſh with two inch plank.—A framed poultry-houſe, and another houſe under the ſame roof, roomly enough to contain a waggon, cart, and chair.—A ſtrong and well framed ſtable for ſix or eight horſes.—Three new corn-houſes made of four-inch plank, capable of containing 1000 buſhels each.—An overſeer's-houſe.—A very good garden contiguous to the houſe, of about an acre of ground, under a good clap-board pailing.—An orchard of eight acres, with about 1100 fine young peach, apple, white-mulberry, and plumb trees, from which a great quantity of peach brandy, cyder, and ſilk may be made.—— There is a lagoon or piece of water, in which are fixed two good pumps, with a field of 50 acres on one ſide of it, and another of 35 acres on the other ſide, very convenient for making of indico.———With this farm will be ſold, about 30 likely NEGROES, moſtly country born, among them is a very good bricklayer, a driver, and two ſawyers; ſeventeen of them are fit for field or boat work, and the reſt fine thriving children.———A ſmall ſtock of hogs, about 30 head of neat cattle, and 70 head of ſheep, will alſo be ſold with the farm.———It may be eaſily demonſtrated that a perſon who really underſtands farming, and will be induſtrious, may make on this farm fifteen per cent. of his money, only by raiſing corn and pork, both very ſaleable at Savannah; the preſent owner would not fail of making that, could he give a proper attention to this farm.

Conditions of ſale, one-third of the amount to be paid in *caſh*, and for the remaining two-thirds, credit will be given, upon approved ſecurity, for three or four years, paying intereſt. Enquire of JOHN GORDON, Eſq; merchant, in Charles-Town, or Mr. THOMAS NETHERCLIFT, merchant, in Savannah. *Auguſta, Jan.* 17, 1769.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, at the uſual place in Charles-Town, on Tueſday the 21ſt of March, together or ſeparate,

TWO lots of LAND, in Anſonſbpurg, near Mrs. Guerard's, each containing 62 feet front, and 318 deep, having a fine ſoutherly front. Credit will be given till the firſt of January, 1770, paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity if required.

Alſo a plantation or tract of land, in St. John's pariſh, Berkley county, known by the name of CRAWL, containing 927 acres, good for corn, rice, and indico, pleaſantly ſituated about 25 miles from Charles-Town, adjoining lands of Sir John Colleton, and the eſtate of Alexander Broughton, Eſq. One or two years credit will be given, paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity.

And on Thurſday the 23d of March, at the plantation of the ſubſcriber, at Gooſe Creek,

THE ſaid PLANTATION, containing 927 acres, more or leſs, 100 acres of which is as good tupello ſwamp as moſt in the province, with back water nearly ſufficient to flow the whole, the reſt good oak, hickory, and pine land, whereon is an exceeding good two ſtory brick houſe, with four rooms on a floor, genteely fitted up, with every convenient out building neceſſary on a plantation, moſt of which are lately built.

Likewiſe all his houſhold furniture, conſiſting of every neceſſary and convenient article, (good part of which almoſt new) cattle, horſes, hogs, ſheep, &c. if that day ſhould prove rainy, they will be ſold the next fair day after.

Conditions will be made known on the day of ſale; any perſon inclinable to treat for any of the lands before the day of ſale, may apply to JOHN CHANNING.

For BRISTOL,

The SHIP

ST. HELENA,

GEORGE ARTHAR, Maſter.

WILL be ready to take on board in a few Days. For FREIGHT or PASSAGE, apply to

GEORGE ABBOT HALL, & Co.

TO BE SOLD,

The Schooner PITT,

BELONGING to the eſtate of HENRY RICHARDSON; likewiſe the boat NEGROES, with or without the ſchooner. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe either, may treat with me on the Bay. All perſons having any demands againſt the eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts properly atteſted to

ELIZABETH RICHARDSON, Executrix.

THE Subſcriber having declined the Buſineſs of Tavern-keeping, deſires all Perſons indebted to him to make ſpeedy Payment, in order to enable him to pay his Creditors, otherwiſe they may depend on finding their Accounts in the Hands of an Attorney, to be ſued for in ten Days after this Notice.—He may be ſpoke with at Mr. Brown's, Silk-dyer, in King-ſtreet, from nine to eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon

Feb. 14, 1769. MICHAEL JORDAN.

TAKEN-UP by my veſſel in Cooper-river, a SHIP's BOAT, 18 feet long, 6 feet wide, has a ring at head and ſtern, an iron claſp to her main thaught, with a ſhort piece of rope. The owner may apply to

WILLIAM WILLIAMS.

LOST on the 9th inſtant, a SILVER WATCH, maker's name JAMES GORDON, No. 4007, with a ſteel chain, cornelian ſeal ſet in ſilver, with a roſe, and a penchbeck ſeal with French arms, a ſteel hook. Whoever delivers the ſaid watch to the printer hereof, ſhall receive FIVE POUNDS reward; and if it ſhould be offered for ſale, pray ſtop it, and give notice as above.

CADE,

COVERS at Mr. *Williamſon's* plantation, (near Rantowle's bridge) until the firſt of May, at THIRTY-FIVE POUNDS each mare, and a *dollar* to the groom, and after that at Mr. *Haſtins's* at Indian Land, upon the ſame terms and conditions. Any mare proving not in foal, ſhall be covered the following ſeaſon *gratis.*

N. B. No mare will be received without the money.

☞ As the proprietor of CADE is deſirous of having ſome blooded mares to the horſe, he will admit any number of gentlemen not exceeding twelve to ſend a mare *gratis,* (only paying a *dollar* to the groom) provided the mare ſent was got by either PHAROAH, STARLING, PAM, or BRUTUS, with a certificate from the breeder; the certificate and mare muſt be ſent by the firſt of April, and not ſooner, as the horſe is to be carried to the ſouthward in a month after, at which time it is expected thoſe gentlemen who ſend mares will take them away, as Mr. *Williamſon's* paſturage is not the beſt, and the mares might ſuffer by their neglect in not complying with this requeſt.

At the Long Bluff, Pedee, February 13, 1769.

WHEREAS about 8 or 9 years ago, one THOMAS EDWARDS, of Pedee, brought to my houſe *four kegs of gun-powder,* and *four kegs of lead* or *ſhot,* and requeſted of me, as a favour, to ſtore them, until a proper owner ſhould call for them, telling me (to the beſt of my recollection) that they were the property of *Andrew Johnſton,* ſince which I have applied to various perſons to take them from my houſe, dreading the hazzard of keeping gunpowder, but as no one has claimed them yet, this is to give notice, that unleſs ſome perſon ſhall prove their right thereto before the firſt day of April next, take the ſame from my houſe, and pay the ſtorage, the ſame will be ſold to pay the expences, on Friday the firſt day of April next, at public vendue at my houſe, preciſely at 12 o'clock at noon.

ABEL WILDS.

RUN-AWAY from my plantation on St. Helena Iſland, on the 19th of Auguſt 1767, a tall well made negro fellow, named JOLLY, aged about 40, has a large beard, with ſome grey hairs amongſt it, near ſix feet high, has one hand burnt, which occaſions his nails to be much warped, marked on each cheek with a croſs, and on his neck with three ſtrokes, being the marks of his country. Whoever apprehends the ſaid negro, and delivers him to the warden of the Work-houſe in Charles-Town, or to my plantation as aforeſaid, ſhall have TEN POUNDS reward, and reaſonable charges paid.

JOHN STEVENS.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, at the uſual place in Charles-Town, on Friday the 10th of March,

A Tract of LAND, containing 318 acres, ſituate on Aſhley-river, within three miles of the ferry, adjoining John Cattle, ſen. Eſq; belonging to the eſtate of Col. William Walter, deceaſed. If any perſon has a mind to purchaſe the ſaid tract of land at private ſale before the ſaid day, they may apply to WILLIAM HAGGATT.

TO BE SOLD by the ſubſcriber, on Monday the 27th of February, inſtant, at her houſe on John's-Iſland,

A Tract of LAND, containing 100 acres, fit for corn, rice, or indico.—Alſo about 12 or 15 valuable SLAVES, moſtly this country born, together with a good ſtock of black cattle, horſes, &c.

SARAH PALMARIN.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, on Ediſto-Iſland, a negro fellow named BRISTOL, lately belonging to CALEB TOOMER, deceaſed; he has ſtole a boat, and is ſuppoſed to be gone to St. Helena, where he is well known, and in all probability harboured. Whoever will deliver him to the ſubſcriber or to the warden of the work-houſe, ſhall receive TEN PONNDS currency reward; or on diſcovery of his being harboured by a white perſon, ſhall receive FIFTY POUNDS reward, on conviction of the offender, and if by a negro TEN POUNDS.

CHRISTOPHER JENKINS.

Charles-Town, February 9, 1769.

ARCHIBALD SCOTT, informs me of a black mare, about 13 and half hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder M, about 5 years old.

One black horſe, neither branded or docked, about 4 years old, 13 hands high.

And a black 2 year old colt, with a ſtar, neither branded or docked, about 12 hands high, having ſtrayed into his plantation on James's-Iſland. The owners muſt prove their property before JOHN REMINGTON, J. P.

TAKEN up adrift this morning in the marſh near SHUTE'S-FOLLY, a CANOE, 24 feet long, and 4 feet wide, rows with 5 oars, her inſide red, outſide whiteiſh, has no brand, a locker in the ſtern, in which were ſundry ſmall articles. The owners proving their property, paying for this advertiſement, and rewarding the negroes, may have them by applying to

Feb. 8, 1768. JOHN POAUG.

A Man well qualified for educating of Youth, may get a Birth, by applying to the Subſcriber, at Togodo, but none need apply unleſs they bring good Vouchers for their being ſuch as abovementioned.

FRANCIS YONGE.

THE ſubſcriber hereby requeſts his ſeveral creditors to ſend in their accounts immediately, for a dividend, to his aſſignees, Meſſrs. ROBERT DANIEL and THOMAS JOEL, in order that he may be enabled to judge what ballance (if any) will be ſtill in favour of them, which he purpoſes to ſettle. All thoſe refuſing to come in for the ſame, may blame themſelves for being ever after excluded from any payment, as his intentions of diſcharging all his juſt debts are honourable, provided he can obtain any reaſonable indulgence.

THOMAS STINSON.

To be ſold Cheap, the Owner having no Occaſion for her,

A Handy, light rowing CANOE, about 24 Feet long, and 3 and an Half Feet wide, rows with 4 Oars, and is in extreme good Order. Enquire of the Printer.

AN Overſeer for a Rice Plantation, that can be well recommended, is wanted immediately. For further Particulars, apply to the Printer hereof.

TICKETS for the SUBSCRIPTION CONCERT, to be performed at Mr. Dillon's, on Wednesday the 15th Inst. will be delivered at Mr. Rutledge's, in Beresford's-Alley, by

ANTHONY LABBE.

JUST ARRIVED, from CAMDEN, CAROLINA FLOUR in Barrels and Half Barrels, SHIP BREAD, the Quality will recommend itself, and will be sold reasonable by the Quantity, by WILLIAM ANCRUM, and AARON LOOCOCK.

Just imported from BOSTON,

In the Schooner William, David Bruce, *Master, and to be sold by said Master, at a Store on the Market Wharf,*

CHOICE Northward RUM, Benecallo WINE, Marvella ditto, Jordan ALMONDS, RAISINS of the Sun, London SUGAR, Spermaceti CANDLES, choice Bohea TEA, &c.

JONES & RICHARDSON,

Have just received from LONDON, GLASGOW, *and* BRISTOL, *by the Captains* Higgins, M'Larthy, *and* Arthar, *a LARGE SUPPLY of such GOODS as are usually imported from those places, which with what they had before on hand make their assortment compleat, to be sold on the usual terms at their store in Broad-street, where their country friends orders will be faithfully and punctually executed.*

A Consignment of EAST-INDIA GOODS, among which are some flowered and brocaded gorgoroons, a rich painted taffety, and other silks, cambricks, lawns, lawn and cambrick handkerchiefs ready hemed, a few very fine silk breeches pieces, will be sold at the above place, for CASH ONLY, much under the common advance, and having been purchased with the cash at first hands will come very cheap.

THE subscriber gives this public notice, to all persons indebted to the estate of WILLIAM JOOR, by bond, note or book-debt, that they make immediate payment, as there is an absolute necessity for closing the affairs of the said estate; such persons as neglect, will find their accounts *without distinction*, after the first day of May next, in the hands of William Burrows, Esquire.

JOHN JOOR, Executor.

ALL Persons that have any Demands on the Estate of JAMES KID, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts properly attested, and those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make speedy Payment unto

Feb. 3, 1769. JOHN BERKLEY, Administrator.

THE Co-partnership of ROBERT and SAMUEL BURN, being just expired, and as there is an absolute Necessity for a speedy Settlement of their Affairs, it is therefore expected that all Persons indebted to them will immediately Discharge their respective Accounts, as the Situation of their Affairs will by no means admit of Indulgence.

Feb. 3, 1769. ROBERT & SAMUEL BURN.

JOHN LORD, Carver and Gilder,

Has imported in the PORTLAND, *Captain* HIGGINS,

A Good assortment of glasses of the most useful sizes; likewise a small collection of the very best plaister of Paris figures, busts and heads, bronzed and white, which will be sold very reasonable at his shop in Meeting-street, nearly opposite to the Hon. Egerton Leigh, Esq; where carving and gilding in all their branches, both in the house and furniture way, are performed, viz. pier glasses of all kinds, chimney ditto, gerandoles, picture frames, console brackets for busts, &c. chimney pieces, capitals in all the orders, trusses, stair-case brackets, and mouldings, with all kinds of carving in the French, Chinese, and Gothic tastes, all which he will engage to execute in a workmanlike manner, on as low terms as possible.—Old gilding repaired, and glasses silvered.

Just imported in the sloop Sally, Peter Schermerhorn, *master, from NEW-YORK, and to be sold cheap at a store he now has on Champneys's wharf,*

CHOICE New-York RUM, the best of New-York ALE, ship BREAD, butter, milk, and water ditto, superfine FLOUR, APPLES, STARCH of the very best quality, BAR IRON, the neatest and newest patterns of BRASS DOGS.

N. B. Said SLOOP will sail with all convenient speed for NEW-YORK; for freight or passage, apply to said master on board at Champneys's wharf.

A NEW EDITION of the WORKS of the celebrated JOHN WILKES, Esq; is now publishing in New-York, by Mr. JAMES RIVINGTON, Bookseller, in three Vols. Octavo, at the low Price of Two DOLLARS and a QUARTER the Set.—The Paper manufactured, and all the Printing performed in America.

SUBSCRIPTIONS taken in by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-street.

SEVERAL Dozen of good MADERA WINE, and a small Quantity of London Loaf Sugar, to be sold cheap. Enquire of the Printer.

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS Currency, to be let at Interest, on good Personal Security. Enquire of the Printer.

JOHN POTTER,

Has just imported in the Sloop Polly, *Captain* Wright, *from PHILADELPHIA, and to be sold at Messrs. Berwick's Shop, near the Beef-Market,*

BEST DOUBLE BEER, HARD SOAP, APPLES, &c. &c. &c.

ELINOR BOLTON, Pastry-Cook,

(Late house-keeper to Lord Charles-Greville Montagu)

RETURNS her most humble thanks to those gentlemen and ladies that has been pleased to honour her with their custom, and hopes for a continuance of their favours; she still makes when bespoken at her house in Tradd-street, near King-street, all sorts of pastry at the lowest prices, rich plumb cake iced, bisket and seed ditto, mackeroons, jellys and syllybubs, white custard in glasses, lemon, orange, citron, and almond pudings, rice cups in custard, blomage, lemon, orange, and apple creams, orange pye, tarts and cheese cakes of all sorts, preserved oranges, apples, &c. &c.—☞ Clear-starching, and blond lace washed to the greatest perfection.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, to go to East-Florida, for six months certain,

TWO house-carpenters, one ship-carpenter or boat-builder, one wheelwright, one smith, either white men or negroes; also an orderly white woman, who understands the management of a family, will meet with good encouragement, by applying to the printer.

At the south-end of the BAY,

Opposite Roper's wharf,

OLD RUM of all kinds, old French brandy, cherry rum, Hollands geneva by the case or gallon, Madera and Vidonia wine by the dozen or gallon, Fontenac in pint bottles, tea, coffee, chocolate, raisins, figs, almonds, neat Barbados sweet meats, tamariads, marmalet, currant jellies, ginger, mustard, pimento, black pepper, anchovies, sallad oil, loaf and muscovado sugars, Philadelphia soap, corks, white and ship bread, cradar berry syrrup, salt, &c. &c. to be sold cheap for cash, by JOHN SNELLING.

N. B. *A chest of neat flavoured HYSON TEA, just imported, at 5l. 10s. lb.*

For COWES and the MARKETS,

THE BRIGANTINE

BERKLEY,

JOHN WELLS, MASTER.

A Remarkable strong Vessel, burthen 850 Barrels. For Freight, apply to

JOHN CHAPMAN, & Co.

WILLIAM SYKES,

Has for sale, just imported from PHILADELPHIA,

HAYNE's and Pusey's best double beer, superfine flour in barrels and half barrels, ship bread, Philadelphia rum, good sweet cyder, Hopkin's biscuit, cheese, a quantity of earthen ware, with sundry other articles.

The SUBSCRIBER,

Attorney for RICHARD BERESFORD, *Esquire,*

GIVES public notice to all persons indebted to the said RICHARD BERESFORD, that unless their respective debts be discharged by the first day of March next, he will be under the necessity of suing for the same without distinction or further notice.

WILLIAM LOGAN.

TO BE SOLD,

A Strong, healthy NEGRO WENCH, aged about 25 Years, who can cook and wash tolerable well; together with her MALE CHILD, about 8 Years old.—For further Particulars, enquire of the Printer.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, on Thursday the 23d of February next, if a fair day, if not, the next fair day afterwards, at the plantation whereon George Beaird, *deceased, lately lived, on English Santee,*

ALL the personal estate of said deceased, consisting of a parcel of very valuable slaves, a stock of cattle, horses, sheep, hogs, goats, household goods, &c. also the said plantation, containing 200 acres. The conditions will be made known on the day of sale. All persons having any demands against the said estate, are desired to bring in their accounts properly attested; all persons who are indebted are requested to make speedy payment unto

MARGARET BEAIRD, Administratrix.
GEORGE BEAIRD, Administrator.

TO BE SOLD,

A Very valuable NEGRO FELLOW, about 20 years of age, faithful, honest, and sober, and fit either for a family or to wait on a single gentleman, or as a waiter in a tavern; he also understands the barbers business; he is sold for no fault, but his owner having no further use for him. Enquire of the printer.

ALL persons having any demands against the estate of SAMUEL TAYLOR, late of Prince-Frederick's parish, deceased, are desired to bring in the same properly attested, that they may receive an equal dividend, according to their several demands, by the first day of April next.

ANN TAYLOR, Administratrix.

FERGUSON-FERRY RACES,

WILL begin on the 15th Day of February. Any Gentlemen that chooses to send their Horses there, may depend on having them well taken Care of, and fed with good Oats, Corn-Blades, &c. by VALENTINE LYNN.

TO BE SOLD,

ONE Thousand Bushels of as good white flint CORN as any in the province, to be delivered at my Landing. Apply to me at my Plantation on John's-Island.

tbstf. JOHN HOLMES.

TO BE SOLD,

A Plantation or tract of land, lying in St. John's parish, about ten miles from Moncks Corner, and three miles from Mr. Peter Whitten's tavern, on the Congaree road, containing 433 acres, the plantation newly cleared and planted one year only, and has on it a good reservior of water, a large barn, stable, corn house, negro houses, and other necessary buildings all new.—One other tract of land, adjoining the before-mentioned tract, containing 350 acres; on which is a good plantation, with a dwelling house, &c. the two tracts making in the whole 783 acres of land, together with all manner of tools and utensils for planting, ox and horse carts, a new ox waggon, a small stock of tame cattle, among which are working oxen, a small stock of hogs; between 4 and 500 bushels of Indian corn, 100 bushels of seed rice, and a quantity of fodder; the land being in quality inferior to none in the province for rice, indico, hemp, and Indian corn.

Also to be sold at the same time,

SIXTEEN as valuable slaves as any in the province, among which are good sawyers. The subscriber is desirous to make the above sale speedily, on account of his bad state of health, which obliges him to leave the province as soon as possible. The purchaser or purchasers may have 5, 6, or 7 years credit, on paying a small part of the consideration money down, and giving bond with sufficient security for the rest, and paying yearly afterwards the interest.

And also almost all kinds of household furniture, will be sold, if wanted.

Any person or persons inclinable to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. JOHN HATFIELD, in Charles-Town, or to the subscriber living on the land afore-mentioned. MATTHEW HARDY.

THE subscriber having a constant supply of as good fire-wood as any in town, proposes to follow the wood selling and carting business, and will be much obliged to those who may be pleased to favour him with their custom, as they may depend on being punctually served at Colonel Beale's wharf, by JOHN MILLS.

THE effects of JAMES GAILLARD, *deceased, advertised to be sold on Wednesday the 1st of February 1769, is put off to the 1st of March 1769, if a fair day, if not, on the next fair day following, when they will be sold at Mr. Joseph Winningham's ferry on Santee. The conditions will be ready money, to be paid to Mr. Theodore Gaillard, junior, to satisfy a bond and mortgage, and judgment; the property not to be altered until the conditions are complied with.*

MARY GAILLARD, Executrix.

ALL persons who have any legal demands against the estate of TIMOTHY BREED, late of Christ-Church parish, ship-carpenter, deceased, are hereby for the last time desired to make them known to the subscriber, by the 20th day of March next, at which time he proposes to make a distribution, according to law, and such who neglect to give in their demands by that time will be excluded, as the affairs will be closed, by

Feb. 1, 1769. WILLIAM BUSHELL.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, on Tuesday the 21st of March 1769, at the plantation of GASPER MORGANDOLLAR, *deceased, at Wassamsaw, the following articles,*

HORSE WAGGONS and geers for the same, horse carts and cart wheels and bodies, empty barrels, provisions, tanned leather, a whip saw, plantation tools, guns, &c.—The conditions will be made known on the day of sale.

FRANCES MORGANDOLLAR, Executrix.
JOHN BROTHERER, Executor.

WANTS EMPLOYMENT,

A PERSON used to STORE-KEEPING, and being in a COMPTING-HOUSE.—For Particulars, enquire of the Printer.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber's plantation near Combahee-ferry, in Prince William's parish, in June, 1768, a negro fellow named TOBY, about five feet six inches high, this country born; he formerly belonged to William Raven, Esqs. deceased, and is well known on John's-Island, where he has been seen several times by different people. Whoever will apprehend the said fellow, and deliver him to me, or the warden of the work-house in Charles-Town, shall receive a reward of TEN POUNDS. GODIN GUERARD.

A Bay mare, about 13 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder something like 2, and has a spot behind the left ear.

A brown bay horse, about 12 hands high, branded on the mounting buttock thus J, and has some saddle spots.

A mouse coloured horse, about 13 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder S, and on the off buttock thus ⋈ in one.

A bay mare, about 13 and an half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder thus 6, and has some saddle spots on her back. The owner or owners of the above strays, must prove their property before

JOHN JOOR.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

NATHANIEL BREEDLOVE, of the province aforesaid, who is in custody of the Provost-Marshal, upon *Capias ad Respondendum*, one at the suit of *Robert Gibb*, and the other at the suit of *Thomas Godfrey*, and *Thomas Gadsden*, having petitioned the honourable the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the benefit of the act made for the relief of insolvent debtors: IT IS ORDERED, that the said *Robert Gibb, Thomas Godfrey*, and *Thomas Gadsden*, and all others to whom the said petitioner is anywise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have notice, to appear at the usual place of Judicature, at the first setting of the Court of Common Pleas, or General Sessions, which shall happen three months after the publication hereof, to shew cause, if any they can, why the said petitioner should not have the prayer of his petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.

Pleas-Office, January 3, 1769.

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JOSEPH WILLIAMS,

Elliott-ſtreet, *will ſell the* FOLLOWING ARTICLES *remarkably cheap, viz.*

PEWTER of various ſorts, CUTLERY, ſilver thread, and mohair buttons, ſhirt and thread jacket ditto, TOBACCO of all ſorts, empty caſes, half and whole bottles of Turlington's BALSAM by the dozen, quarter pipes of Sheriff WINE, which has been ſix years in this province, RUM, a very neat mahogany deſk, a compleat ſet of ſliding ſhes fit for a large ſtore.

N. B. CASH will be given for 5 or 600 weight of SNAKE ROOT, and for the like quantity of GOOD DEER SKINS.

ALL perſons that have any demands againſt the eſtate of *Ezekiel David*, by bond, are deſired to bring in a ſtate thereof; and thoſe who have accounts againſt the ſaid eſtate are deſired to bring them in properly atteſted to the ſubſcriber, who likewiſe begs all perſons indebted to ſaid eſtate to make immediate payment, and thereby prevent diſagreeable meaſures being taken.

JOSEPH WILLIAMS, Executor.

RUN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, about a fortnight ago, a negro fellow, named CYRUS, formerly the property of Thomas Shirley, Eſq; has both his ears cropt, and is well known in Charles-Town. Whoever will deliver him to me or to the warden of the work-houſe, ſhall have Twenty Pounds currency reward, and all reaſonable charges. Fifty Pounds will be paid on information of ſaid fellow's being harboured by a white perſon, and Fifty Pounds if by a negro, to be paid on conviction, by

Dec. 29, 1768. JAMES RIDDLE.

A SMALL ſorrel horſe, about 13 hands high, has a ſmall white in his forehead, branded on the near buttock ſomething like C, having ſtrayed into my plantation on Congarees, about the 15th of November. The owner may apply to WILLIAM TUCKER.

UZ ROGERS,

BEGS Leave to inform his Friends and the Public in general, that the Co-partnerſhip of *Hawes & Rogers* is diſſolved, and that he *continues* all the Branches of CHAISE and HARNESS MAKING, and makes and mends Carts and Drays, Cart and Chaiſe Wheels.—Plows as good as can be imported, as alſo moſt kinds of BLACK-SMITH's WORK, done as cheap as can be imported, at his Shop the Corner of Church and Queen-ſtreets, oppoſite Col. *Smith*; any Gentlemen that will favour him with their Cuſtom, may be aſſured of diſpatch, and being done in a workmanlike manner.

Charles-Town, November 11, 1768.

TUNES TEBOUT,

ACQUAINTS his *old* Freinds and Cuſtomers, that he now carries on the SMITH's BUSINESS BY HIMSELF at his *old* SHOP, where he gives CONSTANT ATTENDANCE, and they may depend on having their Work done in a *proper Manner*.

TO BE SOLD,

THE HOUSE and Lot in Charles-Town, belonging to WILLIAM BLAKE, Eſq; and now in the Occupation of WILLIAM CATTELL, Eſq; containing in front from eaſt to weſt on Broad-ſtreet 104 feet, from north to ſouth on Archdale-ſtreet 480 feet, and from eaſt to weſt on Queen-ſtreet 152 feet. The purchaſer may have one, two, or three years credit, paying intereſt, and giving approved ſecurity, to

DANIEL BLAKE.

George Leſter, & Tho. Jones,

King-ſtreet, near Tradd-ſtreet, BRICKLAYERS, *from LONDON, being lately arrived in this province*,

TAKES this method of acquainting the public, that they intend carrying on the *Bricklayers Buſineſs* in all its branches; any gentlemen in town or country who chooſe to favour them with their work, may depend upon having it done in a workmanlike manner, and at the moſt reaſonable prices. ☞ Smoaky chimnies moſt effectually cured, ſtoppers, ſtills, ſtoves, and grates compleatly ſet up.

TO BE SOLD,

A BATTEAUX almoſt new, 24 feet long, and 3 feet 6 inches broad, with rudder and tiller, two oars, one maſt, and ſail, draws about 4 inches water with two perſons in her. Any perſon inclinable to buy her may treat with

GEORGE MONK,

Boat-builder, at his houſe on White-Point, oppoſite the Flood-Gate, where ſhe may be ſeen.

JOHN CHAMPNEYS,

DESIRES all perſons indebted to the late co-partnerſhip of LIVINGSTON & CHAMPNEYS, immediately to diſcharge their bonds, notes and accounts, there being an abſolute neceſſity of having their affairs ſettled, in order that he may ſettle with the executors of Mr. George Livingſton. He alſo hopes for a continuance of the favours of the friends of ſaid co-partnerſhip, as he will endeavour to give ſatisfaction to all who may pleaſe to employ him.

N. B. He has ſeven boats conſtantly in his employ, of the following burthen, all decked, viz. one of 140, two of 120, three of 100, and one of 60 barrels, and can have more occaſionally.

For SPAIN, PORTUGAL, COWES, and the MARKETS, or any of the WEST-INDIA Windward Iſlands,

THE SHIP

ORANGEFIELD,

JAMES MORRICE, Maſter.

(Burthen about 630 Barrels)

FOR Freight or Paſſage, apply to the ſaid Maſter on board, at Col. Beale's Wharf.

GOOD PARCHMENT SKINS, to be ſold by the Printer hereof, in Elliott-ſtreet.

JAMES M'CALL,

HAS juſt imported in the LLOYD, *Captain* POCOCK, *from* BRISTOL;

A very LARGE and COMPLEAT

Aſſortment of GOODS,

Amongſt a great VARIETY *of* ARTICLES *are*,

NEWEST faſhion rich white flowered SILKS, black luteſtrings, white taffeties, Engliſh perſians, ſarcenets and alamodes, velvet, brocade, ſatin, everlaſting, callimanco and leather ſhoes and pumps, womens clogs, mens Morocco ſlippers, felt, caſtor, and beaver hats, mens gold and ſilver laced ditto, thread, cotton, yarn, worſted, and ſilk hoſe, worſted and ſilk breeches pieces, muſlins, lawns, cambricks and Britannas, feather beds, bolſters, and pillows, matraſſes, blankets, and counterpanes, liſt, Scotch, and Wilton carpeting, very large Scotch carpets, china, glaſs, ſtone, and earthen ware, paints and oils, ſheet and window glaſs, vinegar, pickles, and ſpices of all ſorts, medicines, Engliſh and Poland ſtarch, plain and ſcented powder, puffs and machines, pinching and curling irons, plain and ſcented rappee, Straſburgh, high, and low dried ſnuff, pigtail, cut, and dried tobacco, long and ſhort pipes, beer, ale, cyder, and perry, DOUBLE GLOUCESTER CHEESE, Engliſh walnuts, raiſins and currants, &c. trap, breeding, and other cages, regimental drums, violins, battle dores and ſhuttle cocks, tops and marbles, ſhot, bullets, and gun powder, pig and ſheet lead, pewter, braſs, copper, iron, and tin ware, glaſs and horn lanthorns, mops, brooms, bruſhes, baſkets, and ſieves,

Great variety of GARDEN SEEDS,

PEAS, BEANS, &c. &c.

In the PEGGY, *Captain* MASON, *from* PHILADELPHIA;

SUPERFINE and common FLOUR, ſhip, water, milk, and butter BREAD, Haynes's beſt double BEER, CYDER, CHEESE, APPLES, SOAP, &c.

Theſe added to thoſe imported in Captains *Chamberling*, *Hewſon*, *Muir*, and *Patterſon*, make one of the compleateſt aſſortments in the province.—Great allowance will be made to ſhop-keepers, and others, *who buy to ſell again*.

Treaſurer's-Office, January 12, 1769.

THE under-mentioned Perſons are deſired to call at this Office for Payment of Monies provided for them by the General Aſſembly.

HENRY PERONNEAU, *Aſſiſtant-Treaſurer.*

		£.		
Edward Kirkland,	the Sum of	39	15	0
John Jacob Hurſamer,		4	10	0
Jonathan Fabian,		2	17	6
Robert Rivers, junior,				2
Repreſentatives of Major William Pinckney,		858	0	6
Matthew Galaſpie,		11	2	0
Thomas M'Dowell,		20	0	0
John Robertſon,		10	0	0
Samuel Wylly,		27	0	0
Commiſſioners for building a Chapel of Eaſe in St. George's Pariſh,		700	0	0
Thomas Bond,		10	0	0
Thomas Ham,		16	10	0
Thomas Jones,		2	2	6
Daniel Droze,		6	0	0
William Jones,		5	1	0
Sanders M'Queen,		7	11	9
John Van Marginhoff,		9	1	3
M'Cartan Campbell & Son,		378	13	6
Joſeph Caſey,		36	0	0
John Snow,		26	0	0
Edward Antiſonia,		6	0	0
Commiſſioners for purchaſing a Glebe, building a Church, and Parſonage Houſe in St. Luke's Pariſh,		1000	0	0
Lewis Golſon,		10	0	0
Gavin Pou,		10	0	0
Benjamin Cook,		25	7	6
Abſolom Lancaſter,		68	0	0
William Moore,		25	18	9
Samuel Ramſey,		24	10	11
Daniel Tripplet,		30	1	3
Shem Butler,		100	0	0
George Alliſon,		15	1	3
William Ruſſell,		8	8	9
John Townſindale,		15	11	3
James M'Cormick,		9	5	0

RUN-AWAY the latter end of October laſt, a young likely negro wench named CLOE, this country born, clumſy made, ſhe left my people going to my plantation at Stono from Charles-Town, where ſhe had been ſometime under the care of a doctor; it is imagined that ſhe returned to town, where ſhe is harboured.—FIVE POUNDS will be paid to any perſon that ſhall deliver her to the warden of the Work-houſe, with reaſonable charges.—Any perſon giving information of her being harboured by a white perſon, ſhall receive TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS reward, on conviction of the offender, or if harboured by a negro TEN POUNDS will be paid to the informer, on conviction of the offender.

Jan. 16, 1769. HUMPHRY SOMMERS.

GEORGE PARKER,

HATH juſt imported in the Polly, *Captain* Sloper, *from* BRISTOL, *and other veſſels from* LONDON *and* BRISTOL,

AN ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

Among which are,

WHITE, BLUE, and GREEN PLAINS, of an extraordinary width and quality, DUFFIL BLANKETS, Glouceſter and Cheſhire cheeſe, Briſtol beer, grindſtones, powder and lead, Engliſh ſteel, iron pots, women and girls neat callimanco and everlaſting ſhoes and pumps, a large quantity of ſuperfine Yorkſhire cloths, velverets, fine and coarſe hats, &c. &c.

N. B. A great variety of genteel London braſs and ſteel mounted fire grates with fenders, from 16*s.* to 5*l.* ſterling, each, to be ſold at nine for one ready money, or in exchange for other goods, butter in ſmall kegs, flour, ſhip bread, between 30 and 40 hogſheads of exceeding fine tobacco, which is equal in quality to Virginia tobacco, Madera wine, by the pipe, quarter-caſk, or dozen, Jamaica, Weſt-India and Northward rum, muſcovado ſugar, bar iron, &c. &c. all which he will ſell REMARKABLY CHEAP, at his ſtore in Church-ſtreet, the corner of Elliott-ſtreet.

JUST IMPORTED from BOSTON, and By George Flagg, *At his OIL-S*

VERY good Spermaceti Oil and Bluba

WILILAM LOOCOCK,

Has imported in the laſt veſſels from LONDO

A Compleat and general aſſortment of chymical, and real preparations and drugs, moſt moſtly every [illegible] medicine now in uſe, among which are the famous eſſence of JOHNSONS or TURLEY'S COOR, being a native of remote parts of this province, and which is the moſt general easy and effectual medicine ever found in the vegetable kind. Fifteen drops being [illegible] of water or any thing [illegible] that diſorder in a few [illegible] weeping after it, whic [illegible] a moſt effectual medicine [illegible] ſcurvey, old ſores or [illegible] ders, it will cure the [illegible] will be ſold on the moſt [illegible] WARE-HOUSE, in B[illegible]

EDWARD [illegible] CAN BALSAM, which has proved ſerviceable in moſt of the Diſorders mentioned in the Directions, is to be ſold by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet.

The [illegible]

GODFREY & GADSDEN

EXPIRING with the [illegible] Thanks to their Friends and Cuſtomers, for their Favours received, and begging a Continuance of the ſame; Concerns as ſoon as poſſible, they will be additionally obliged to thoſe indebted to the [illegible] to diſcharge the ſame, that they may be enabled to [illegible] be againſt the Co-partnerſhip Amount of Debts in open Accounts that have been ſtanding, they muſt inſiſt on the ſame being paid, or otherwiſe ſettled to their Satisfaction, before the Demand will be attended to.

Rice, Deer-Skins, and Indico, (ſuch as he may approve of) will be taken in Payment, at the Market Price, and ſent to us on its Arrival in Charles-Town.

TO BE SOLD, at [illegible] *Auction*,

THE LOT, STORES and WHARF in George-Town, now occupied by Meſſieurs GODFREY & GADSDEN, the beſt Situation for Trade of any Lots adjoining. A Perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſame, may apply to

CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN.

THOMAS GADSDEN,

BEGS Leave to acquaint his Friends and the Public in general, that he has entered into Partnerſhip with Mr. Godfrey, that he will not carry on Buſineſs in his own Name alone, after the [illegible] of this Year, but will therefore be much obliged to them for a Continuance of their Favours, as he will endeavour to keep a good aſſortment of ſuch Goods as are uſually imported into this Province, which he is determined to ſell at the moſt reaſonable Rates, among thoſe on Hand, he has printed Linens and Cottons, at 10*d.* and 13/9 a Yard, alſo a great Variety of Linen Drapery Goods, at *Nine* for *One* Cash, by the Piece or Quantity.

Rice, Deer-Skins, and Indico, (ſuch as he may approve of) will always be taken at the Market Price, in Payment of Accounts.—Who is in want of a good, clean, and quick Cook, on hire, or to purchaſe. tbcaf.

TO BE SOLD under the FIRST COST *and* CHARGES,

EIGHT French Chairs, two Sofas, and three Cushions compleat, with rich carved Cornices, covered with Crimſon Silk Damaſk, and ſpare Check Covers.—Bills of Exchange or Rice will be taken in Payment, Credit given if required, paying Intereſt.

tbcaf. THOMAS GADSDEN.

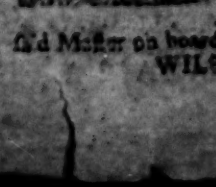
THE ſubſcriber begs leave to acquaint the public in general, and his friends in particular, that he has taken the ferry, commonly called SCOTT's-FERRY, and has provided himſelf with good boats for to carry people across the river, and canoes for paſſengers to town and again.—He alſo keeps good entertainment for man and horſe; and has an exceeding good paſture for horſes, both in winter and ſummer. THOMAS ADDISON.

N. B. Paſſengers may enquire of Mr. HENRY GIGNILLIAT, and be informed where to find the boats and canoes.

JOHN IRWIN,

TAKES this method of returning thanks to the public in general, and his friends in particular, for the many favours conferred on him; and acquaints them that he has removed from Church-ſtreet into Gadſden's-alley, where he carries on the TAYLOR's BUSINESS in all its Branches, and would be obliged to thoſe gentlemen that may please to employ him.

N. B. An honeſt ſprightly lad wanted as an apprentice.



For LONDON, or MARKETS,

The HERMAPHRODITE

BETSEY,

JOHN LESUEUR, Maſter.

FOR Freight or Paſſage, good Accommodations, apply to ſaid Maſter on board at Price's Wharf, or to

WILSON, CORAM, WAYNE, &

George-Town, January 13, 1769.

[illegible] we have met with [illegible] losses in our [illegible] at George-Town) that we cannot fully pay [illegible] and being desirous to do strict justice, so far as [illegible] possible, putting all parties that we are indebted to [illegible] I do hereby request a meeting of all our creditors [illegible] Charles-Town, at Mr. Dillon's, on Wednesday the [illegible] of April next, in order to determine on some plan [illegible] to make a proportion of their several demands [illegible] so far as can then be done; and it is our power to do [illegible] the mean time we desire that our several creditors [illegible] with a state of their demands.—And that all [illegible] indebted to us will immediately pay or settle the [illegible] the better to enable us to satisfy our creditors.

SHACKELFORD & LUPTAN.

STOLEN or STRAYED away last Night, from Mr. [illegible] Shearing's Door in King-street, a BLACK [illegible] MARE, branded H, about 13 Hands high, a natural [illegible], having on Saddle and Saddle Bags. Whoever de[illegible] the said Mare, Saddle and Saddle Bags, to HENRY [illegible]KER, at the Sign of the Waggon, in Queen-street, [illegible] Five POUNDS Reward. Feb. 7, 1769.

Wednesday the 22nd of February next, if a fair day, if [illegible], the next fair Day after, will be sold at public auction, [illegible] Mr. Nightingale's up the path, all the estate of Mr. GEORGE LIVINGSTON, *deceased,*

CONSISTING of a plantation on Cane-Acre, near [illegible] Parker's-ferry, containing upwards of 1600 acres of [illegible] rice, corn, and indico land, with a great reserve of [illegible]. Also another tract on Peder river, containing 1050 [illegible] of as good land as any in the province, and about 20 [illegible]able slaves, among whom are a good boatman, and as [illegible]d an indico maker as any in the province; one half of a [illegible]ing schooner, burthen 100 barrels, with a new suit of [illegible]s and otherways compleatly fitted.

And on the Wednesday following, will be sold, at the plantation on Cane-Acre, all the stock,

CONSISTING of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, &c. [illegible] plantation tools, and the crop of corn.

All sums under thirty pounds to be cash, and for all above, credit will be given until the first of January, 1770, paying interest from the date, and giving approved security.

WILLIAM LIVINGSTON, } Executors.
GEORGE LIVINGSTON, }

TAKEN up by my Negroes in Town-Creek, a Canoe built Boat, about 19 Feet long, 4 Feet and an half wide, has a Ring-Bolt at her Head and Stern, with a small piece of Iron Chain. The Owner may apply to

THOMAS NIGHTINGALE.

Who has for Sale about 40 Bushels of INDICO SEED, which is very good, as it grew on the best of high land.—Apply to Mr. JOHN CALVERT, in Charles-Town.

A PERSON bred to Pharmacy and Chirurgy, who wants a Place, may hear of something advantageous, by applying to the Printer.

STOLEN or strayed from my plantation at Goose-Creek, the 18th of last month, a bright bay mare, three parts English blood, branded on the shoulder 18, rising four years old. Also a roan horse colt, with a brown head, black legs, and a star in his forehead, neither docked nor branded, rising two years, three parts English blood. FIVE POUNDS reward will be given for each of said strays, on delivery of them, or either of them, to BENJAMIN COACHMAN.

ALL Persons who are indebted to the Estate of Mrs. ANNE PEACOCK, late of Charles-Town, Widow, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment; and those who have Demands on the said Estate, are desired to send in their Accounts properly attested, to

January 24, 1769. OLIVER HART, Executor.

George-Town, Winyaw, January 8, 1769.

FOUND in Broad-street, by a Negro Wench, a METAL WATCH. The Owner may have the same, on paying for this Advertisement, and giving a small Reward to the Wench for her honesty.

WILLIAM BLYTHE.

TO BE SOLD on Tuesday the 21st day of February next, (if that proves rainy, the sale will be put off to the next fair day) at Wadmelaw-Island, *in St. John's parish, Colleton county,*

A Valuable plantation or tract of 500 acres of land, well improved, and fit for corn, rice, and indico.—Also thirty-four valuable slaves, among which are coopers, carpenters, sawyers, handy boys and girls; all sums under twenty pounds to be cash, and for all sums above credit will be given to January next, paying interest and giving security. The property not to be altered till the conditions are complied with.

JOHN SAMS.

TO BE LET, and entered upon immediately,

THE dwelling-house, out-houses, garden, and pasture, now in the occupation of the subscriber. For further particulars, enquire of *John Rutledge*, Esquire, or

EDWARD DAVIES.

☞ Said DAVIES wants a *SMALL HOUSE*, at a low rent; and as he intends departing the province in March next, he requests the favour of all persons he is indebted to on any account, or as security, that they will send their accounts, and the amount of their bonds, &c. to *John Remington*, Esq; by the above time, that provision may be made for them. 6w.

TO BE LET,

A Large convenient SHOP, COMPTING-HOUSE, and DRY CELLARS, &c. next to Messrs. *James & William Lenox*'s, in Elliott-street.—Enquire of JOHN M'CALL.

EXceeding good West-India RUM, Loaf SUGAR, Cheshire CHEESE, and Red PORT WINE, to be sold, by

PRICE, HEST, & HEAD.

THE Subscriber begs Leave to acquaint the Public in general, and her Friends in particular, That she has opened a SCHOOL, at her House in Broad-street, between [illegible] and Mess. *Jones & Richardson*, [illegible] Children READING and NEEDLE-WORK, [illegible] her utmost Endeavours to give Satisfaction.

SABINA TAYLOR.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at Charles-Town, on Monday the 16th of January, Instant, *Isaac Porcher*, and *William Sealy*, being duly sworn and returned to serve as Grand Jurors; and *William Sanders*, *Alexander Hext*, *Barnard Elliott*, *George Dick*, *Josiah Dupont*, *M'Cartan Campbell*, *Benjamin Roberts*, and *William Snipes*, as Petit Jurors, made Default, and were noted for Non-appearance: THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that the former will be fined in the Sum of TEN POUNDS Proclamation Money each, and the latter in the Sum of FIVE POUNDS like Money each, unless they shall respectively make good and sufficient Excuses, upon Oath, for their Non-attendance, on or before Monday the 13th of February next.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. & P.

Crown-Office, January 21, 1769.

MARY KING,

MILLINER, in TRADD-STREET,

Has received per the Friendship, *Captain* Samuel Ball, *jun. and the* last vessels *from* LONDON;

A COMPLEAT ASSORTMENT of

MILLINARY GOODS,

Among which are,

WAX NECKLACES and EARRINGS, stiff chipt hats for covering, white, black, blue, and crimson flowered satins, black, blue, and green pelong, fashionable ribbons, egrets, and breast flowers, white and black blond lace, brocade, black, and blue satin pumps, childrens ditto, black and white catgut, flowered and striped gauses, ditto aprons and handkerchiefs, ditto satin hats, cloaks, and bonnets, boys black satin caps and feathers, black and white Ostrich ditto for ladies hair, Hoe's stuff shoes and pumps, a large assortment of TOYS, with a variety of other articles, all which will be sold *cheap* for CASH or SHORT CREDIT.

N. B. All sorts of MILLINARY made up in the newest fashions and neatest manner, upon the *shortest notice*.

TO BE SOLD,

THE House and Lot in King-street, where I now live, containing 100 feet in front, and 200 in depth, with a two story kitchen, wash-house and store-room, and every other conveniency for a large family. For particulars, apply to

JOHN MARLEY.

FOUND by a Negro on White-Point, two SILVER TEA SPOONS. The Owner describing the Marks, may have them again, on paying for this Advertisement, and giving something to the Negro for his honesty, by applying to the Printer.

Brought to the WORK-HOUSE.

Feb. 17, 1768. A negro fellow born in Jamaica, calls himself *James Williams*, and his master *Thomas Wheeler*, that he lives in Kingston, Jamaica, and was hired to one *Davis*, first Lieutenant of the Sterling-Castle, and that he left her at Cape-Fear; he is 5 feet 9 inches high, thin faced, has a cut on his nose, and branded on his right shoulder M R, also the mark of a shot just below his left knee, which he says was done at the siege of the Havanna, he has on a white negro cloth jacket and oznabrug trowsers. Taken up in Charles-Town.

For SALE, by private contract,

A Very valuable tract of about 400 acres of LAND, in St. James's parish, Goose-Creek, bounding southward on land of Mr. John Fulmer, westward and northward on land of Mr. Peter Bacot, eastward on land of William Haggatt, Esq; hath full 80 acres of good cypress swamp, the other part is good corn and indico land, and is well timbered, lies within three or four miles of two landings, Goose-Creek bridge and Dorchester, and not more than 18 miles from Charles-Town. Whoever inclines to purchase, may apply in Charles-Town, to

GEORGE PARKER.

TO BE LET by the subscriber,

TWO or three chair-houses, that will admit of any four-wheel carriage whatever.——Also a stable with a row of one or two stalls; the whole nearly opposite Robert Williams, Esq; in Tradd-street.

TIMOTHY CROSBY.

☞ Who wants immediately a good overseer, for a rice plantation, whereon are about 14 hands.

N. B. Some very good scaffling poles, to be sold, by

CROSBY & TOOMER.

WANTED on HIRE immediately, AN able, strong NEGRO FELLOW, as a Porter. Enquire of the Printer.

For BRISTOL,

THE SHIP

LIVE-OAK,

ANDREW LUNDERBERY, Master.

FOR Freight, apply to said Master, or GEORGE SMITH.

Antigua RUM of a fine flavour, and a few very likely NEW NEGROES, to be sold, by said SMITH.

ALL Persons having Demands by Bond, or other Specialty, against the Co-partnership of *Houghton*, *Webb*, & *Gadin*, formerly of this Town, Merchants, either in their own Right, or as Attorney for any absent Creditor, are desired forthwith to give a particular Account thereof in Writing, that a just and equal Distribution of some Money in my Hands, may be legally allotted.

RAWLINS LOWNDES.

TO BE SOLD,

A Lot of LAND in Ansonsburgh, situate on the Road leading from Charles-Town, containing 160 feet in front on the said road, and 200 feet in depth, adjoining land purchased by the public for erecting fortifications, (called the White Gate) and on lands belonging to Mr. James Brisbane, and Mr. Alexander Burn; the said lot may be conveniently divided into two or three parts. Any person or persons inclinable to purchase the whole or any part thereof, may treat with CHARLES GRIMBALL, at his house on White-Point, or at Messrs. John Edwards, & Co. store, in Tradd-street.

ISAAC MOTTE, & Co.

Have imported in the ships Heart of Oak *and* Little-Carpenter, *from* LONDON;

A compleat assortment of GOODS,

Fit for the present and approaching seasons,

AMONG WHICH ARE,

FASHIONABLE coloured broad cloths, with suitable trimmings, dark ground cottons to cut, very handsome bed patterns with thread fringe, book, flowered, striped and sprigged muslins, for ladies aprons and gowns, fashionable silks and ribbons, mens, womens and girls gloves, compleat sets of table and tea china, neat tea kitchens, double and single refined sugar, a tub of exceeding fine hyson tea, common green and bohea, raisins, currants, almonds in and out of the shell, pickles of all kinds, ladies dressing and toilet glasses, with toilet gauze, fashionable hats and cloaks, very neat mahogany razor cases, feather beds and leather matrasses, very cheap Irish linens, huckaback, napkining diaper and damask, clouting diaper and damask, clouting diaper and tea napkins, very fine white Russia drab, 15 hhds. of brown Nottingham ware, very cheap by the hhd. paints of all colours, linseed, train and lamp oil, window glass, best three strand seine twine, Dutch shoe thread, smiths bellows, bar iron, and many other articles too tedious to enumerate, all which they will dispose of on the most reasonable terms.

WEBB & DOUGHTY,

HAVE just imported per the Little-Carpenter, Maitland, *from* LONDON, *and the* St. Helena, Arthar, *from* BRISTOL, *and other late vessels, a variety of articles usually imported, among which are,*

A FEW neat London painted floor cloths of different sizes, Wilton's bedside and floor carpets, superfine fashionable cloths, very thin and light for mens summer wear, neat chints coloured and blue and white cotton bed patterns, two rich silk India counterpanes, a parcel of cheap Irish linens, oyster cloths, hosiery from the manufactory, two compleat sets of enamelled and blue and white table chins, to be sold at nine for one CASH, French horns upon the key E, a chest of superfine hyson tea at 6l. 10s. lb. violins and Roman strings, best London duffils at 40l. a piece, Oronoko tobacco and Kippen's best Glasgow pigtail, Wilson's neat fowling pieces, single and double F gunpowder, single and double refined sugar, of an extra quality, London three stranded seine twine, womens neat silk and stuff shoes, perfumery of all kinds, fresh pickles, neat glass shades, and a variety of handsome wine glasses, mens beaver hats, of the newest fashion, Bridport and Russia sail duck, oakum, best LONDON CORDAGE, at 10l. 10s. per Ct. anchors and grapnals, paints and oil, nails of all kinds, with many other articles, all which will be disposed of reasonably, especially for CASH, at their store on the Bay.

ATKINS & WESTON,

Have imported,

A FEW Barrels of Hayne's very best PHILADELPHIA BEER, BISCUIT, and FLOUR, which they will sell at the lowest Prices.

WILLIAM SIMPSON,

Has imported in the Little-Carpenter, *from* LONDON, *the* Betty, *from* GLASGOW, *and the* Avon, *from* LEITH;

A Neat assortment of silk breecher patterns, ribbed and plain silk hose, worsted breeches in patterns and web, men and womens cotton hose, oznabrug thread, stiching thread, from the lowest to the highest numbers, spotted and sprig netted lawn, striped and bordered needle work lawn aprons, great variety of white, blue, and green silk, and thread pavillion gauze, a large quantity of check handkerchiefs, checks and cross bar, 3-4 and 7-8 wide, red and blue striped holland, Irish and Scotch linens of all kinds, single and double wool and buken hair matrasses, womens callimanco shoes and pumps of different colours, mens stiched and bound shoes and pumps, pigtail tobacco, rappee and plain snuff, 16 and 20 inch pipes tiped and fluted, Bell's beer, by the dozen, with an assortment of cutlery.

As he has imported a large quantity of each, any merchant wanting a supply, may be served on the most moderate terms, at his store in Tradd-street.

JOHN BRAUND, & Co.

DESIRES all Persons whatever who have any Demands against them, to send in their Accounts to JOHN MARLEY, in order to be settled, in whose Hands the Books of Accounts, &c. since the 1st of January, 1766, to the 1st of January, 1769, are lodged; and all Persons indebted to the said Co-partnership, are requested to make speedy Payment to the said JOHN MARLEY.

JOHN BRAUND,
MICHAEL KALTEISEN,
JOHN MARLEY.

N. B. They request all Persons whatever not to pay any Money on their Account to any of their Carters. 6w.

ROGER CHAMPNEYS,

INTENDS to follow the Business of a VENDUE-MASTER, and will be obliged to his Friends that may please to employ him in that Branch; also in the FACTORAGE BUSINESS, which he intends likewise to follow, and has a convenient Store on his Brother's Wharf for carrying on the same; where may be had Jamaica, West-India, and Northward *RUM*, Madera *WINE*, by the Quarter Cask or any Quantity not less than three Gallons, for Cash or three Months Credit.——☞ ORDERS from Town or Country will be faithfully and punctually attended to.

THE subscriber hereby forbids the sale of the house and lot in King-street, advertised by Mr. James Christie, to be sold the third of February, 1769, as his daughter BEULAH FITCH, is entituled to the one half of said house and lot, by virtue of the last will and testament of *Thomas Rose*, deceased. JAMES FITCH.

ALL Kinds of Blanks used in this Province, and good Writing Paper, to be sold by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-street.